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USING A LAMP FOR RAPIDLY AND )  
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Patentees filed a Request for Certificate of Correction ("Request") along with a Form PTO 1050 on August 2, 2006, and Patentees still have not received either a response to the Request or an official Certificate of Correction from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO). (See attached copy of Request (3 pages) and USPTO date-stamped postcard receipt.)

In view of these circumstances, the undersigned attorney respectfully requests that the USPTO advise him of the status of the Request as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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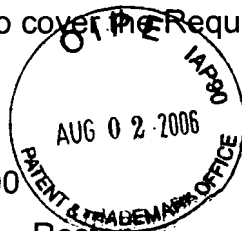
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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 254, and 37 C.F.R. § 1.322, this is a request for a Certificate of Correction in the above-identified patent. At least one of the mistakes identified in the appended Form PTO 1050 occurred through the fault of the Patent Office and is of a clerical or typographical nature, or of minor character, and at least one of the mistakes resulted from an error made in good faith by patentees, as clearly disclosed by the records of the application which matured into this patent. A check in the amount of \$100 (the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(a)) is attached. Should a check not be appended or should any additional fees be needed, authorization is hereby given to charge any fees due in connection with the filing of this request to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Two (2) copies of Form PTO 1050 are appended. The complete Certificate of Corrections involves ONE (1) page. Issuance of the Certificate of Correction containing the corrections is earnestly requested.

Please charge any required fees not included herewith to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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It is hereby certified that errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Claim 6, col. 54, line 45, "treaded" should read --threaded--.

Claim 9, col. 54, line 64, "comprising:" should read --comprises:--.

Claim 18, col. 55, lines 48, 50, and 51, "mid" (all occurrences) should read --said--.

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